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Sir:

The following documents are being forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S.
Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Application Data Sheet (5 pages);
2. A copy of PCT/EP2003/014027 as filed on December 11, 2003, and naming as inventor(s):

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the application comprising:

28 pages of Specification (numbered as pages 1-28),
3 pages of Claims (numbered as pages 29-31), and
a one-page Abstract (numbered as page 32);

3. Preliminary Amendment (6 pages);
4. A copy of the PCT Request with a copy of Declaration executed by the inventors attached (11 pages);
5. A copy of the PCT application, as published, including the International Search Report (36 pages);
6. General Authorization for Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3) (1 page);
7. General Authorization to Charge Deposit Account (1 page);
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9. A copy of PCT/IB/308, Notice Informing the Applicant of the Communication of the International Application to the Designated Offices (1 page);
10. A copy of PCT/IB/371, Notification Relating to Declaration Made Under PCT Rule 4.17 (1 page); and
11. Two (2) return postcards.

This application represents U.S. national stage of international application PCT/EP2003/014027, which had an international filing date of December 11, 2003. The international application claims priority to German applications 102 61 161.0, filed on December 20, 2002, and 103 03 572.9, filed on January 30, 2003. The present application claims priority to these previously filed counterparts and incorporates them by reference.

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